

House Bill 303 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Rogers of the 26th, Willard of the 49th, Collins of the 27th, Oliver of the 83rd, and Ralston of the 7th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

To amend Code Section 49-5-41 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to persons and agencies permitted access to records concerning reports of child abuse, so as to authorize solicitors-general and assistant solicitors-general to have access to such reports for official purposes; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

Code Section 49-5-41 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to persons and agencies permitted access to records concerning reports of child abuse, is amended by revising paragraph (4) of subsection (a) as follows:

"(4) ~~A~~ The district attorney of any judicial circuit in this state, a solicitor-general, or any assistant district attorney or assistant solicitor-general who may seek such access in connection with official duty;"

SECTION 2.

This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval.

SECTION 3.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.